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Last 24 hours' rainfall, .01; Temperature, max. 79—
min. 68; Weather, fair to cloudy with light showers.



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HONOLULU, HAWAII TERRITORY, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1904.

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CHILLINGWORTH IS INDICTED BY THE GRAND JURY

Three Charges of Extortion, One Jointly With
Ahooh Against Late Deputy Sheriff.
Other Indictments.

The expected happened when the Territorial grand jury came into Judge Gear's court late yesterday afternoon and returned three indictments for extortion against Charles F. Chillingworth, late Deputy High Sheriff of the Territory of Hawaii, who resigned his office under fire a short time ago.

That is, the expected happened if town gossip is to be taken for anything. Everybody on the streets of Honolulu had been saying that Chillingworth would be indicted ever since the lightning came out of a clear sky and struck ex-detective Officer McDuffie with three indictments of receiving bribes as an executive officer. It was expected that the grand jury would return one or more indictments against Chillingworth on Monday, although it did not, and one of the evening papers hinted as strongly as it dared, under the law, that this would happen.

So strongly, indeed, was the rumor

of the indictment circulated on Monday night, that it was even said the man now accused had himself been told of what was coming and that he would be in court with his bondsmen when the indictment was brought in. Mr. Chillingworth himself, asked about it, denied this story, but said that it was true that he had heard on the street that he was to be indicted. He was not in court, however, when the indictments came in.

The jury did not report on Monday. It was not so ready as street rumor. But it came into court yesterday afternoon, and presented Judge Gear with a batch of eleven indictments, all but one of these being assigned to the secret file, at the request of Deputy Attorney-General Peters. And then the buzz of rumor broke out again, while the clerk proceeded to issue the warrants under the indictments, and to notify the High Sheriff that the papers were ready.

Deputy Sheriff Rawlins went at once to Judge Gear's court room upon re-

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HAWAII'S NEEDS APPEAR IN PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

(ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLEGRAMS.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 6.—President Roosevelt's message was read in both Houses of Congress today. The President advocates liberal appropriations and warns Congress against extravagance.

On capital and labor he claims that both are entitled to equal protection and both must obey the laws.

He holds that the National Government should control the great corporations and that railroad rebates must stop.

Agriculture, irrigation and forestry should be promoted by every means possible and the message is strong on the needed improvement in the Consular Service.

A national quarantine law is deemed desirable.

On the financial question the President holds that silver should be redeemable in gold.

He favors the advancement of the merchant marine, development of Oriental markets, regulation of immigration, revision of the naturalization and citizenship laws, protection of the purity of the ballot, an Alaskan Delegate, a peaceful foreign policy, an efficient army and navy, international arbitration, protection of Americans abroad, continuance of the present policy with lower tariff rates for the Philippines.

Dealing with Hawaii the President recommends that the Governor be given the power to remove subordinates, appropriations for the dredging of Honolulu harbor, and the study of leprosy by the Marine Hospital Service.

The tariff is not mentioned.

PRESS COMMENT FAVORABLE.

LONDON, Dec. 7.—Press comment on the President's message is extremely favorable in character.

HAWAIIAN NOMINATIONS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 6.—The nominations of Chief Justice Frear, Associate Justices Hartwell and Hatch and Circuit Judges Matthewman, Parsons and Hardy were sent to the Senate today for confirmation.

TERRITORIAL ESTIMATES.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 6.—Secretary Shaw has sent Congress the estimates made by Governor Carter for dredging Honolulu harbor at \$250,000, refund to the Territory \$175,022, one million dollars for Honolulu Federal building and a million for Hilo Federal building.

APPENDIX TO ESTIMATES.

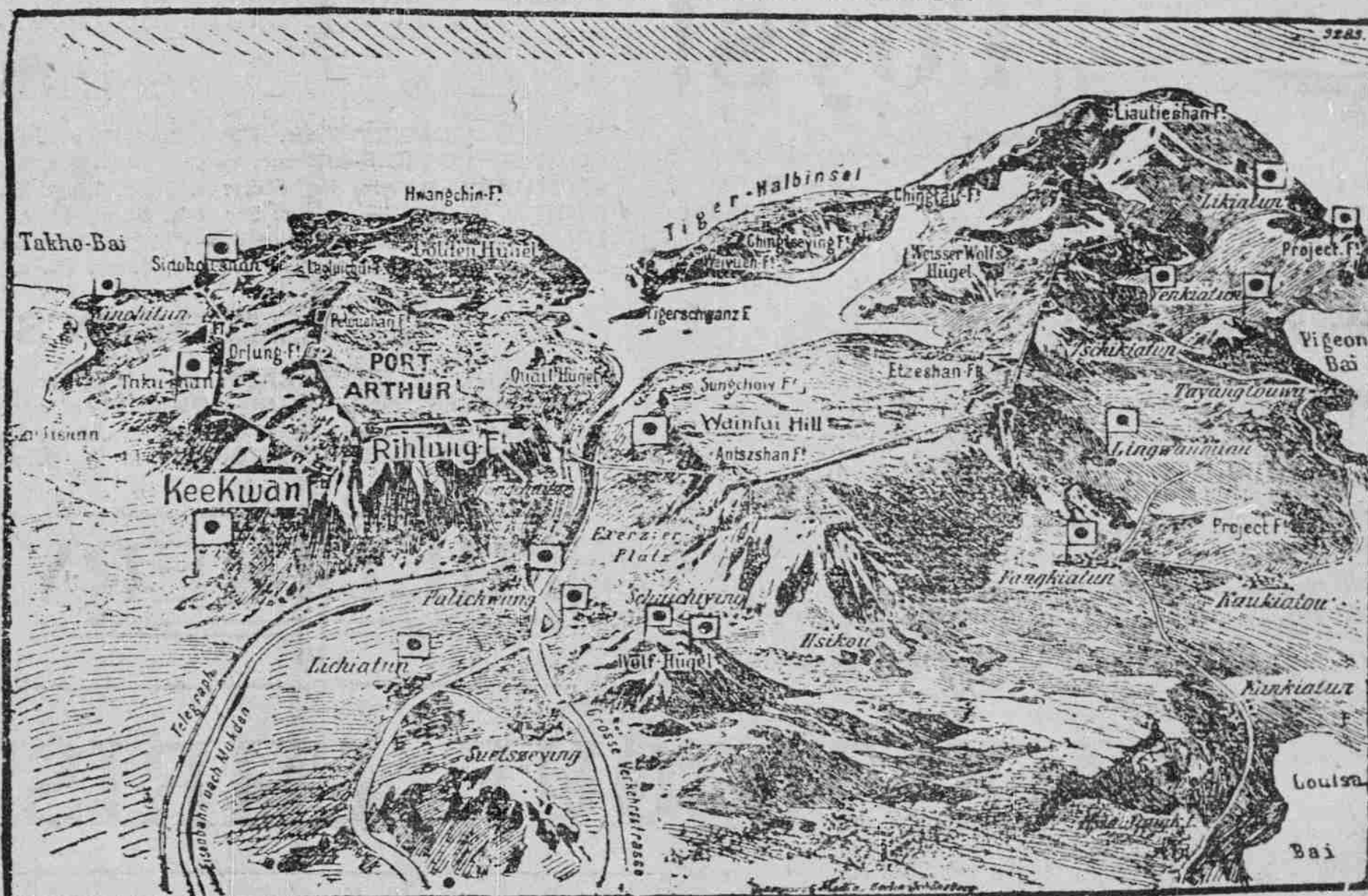
WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The letter sent by the Honolulu Chamber of Commerce appears on the appendix to the estimates of expenditures submitted to Congress by Secretary of the Treasury Shaw.

FORGERY SUSPECT NOW HAS NERVOUS COLLAPSE

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Mrs. Chadwick, who has been under police surveillance under suspicion of having forged the name of Andrew Carnegie to numerous notes, is suffering from nervous collapse.

SHIPS IN PORT ARTHUR STRUCK

BEST MAP OF PORT ARTHUR.



SITUATION OF THE COMBATANTS AT PORT ARTHUR AT THE TIME OF THE JAPANESE ASSAULT ON WANTAI HILL.—JAPANESE POSITIONS MARKED WITH FLAGS.

The raised map herewith is reproduced from a drawing in the New York Staats Zeitung of November 12, 1904, and shows the positions occupied by the Japanese and Russians respectively at that date, the Japanese positions being designated by small flags. The nomenclature is in German, but that is easily translated. For instance, "Tiger-Halbinsel" on the map is the citadel of Tiger Peninsula. "Tigerschwanz" is Tiger Tail, "Golden Huegel" is Golden Hill, "Quail Huegel" is Quail Hill, "Wolf's Huegel" is Wolf's Hill, and "Weisser Wolf's Huegel" is White Wolf's Hill. The "Eisenbahn nach Mukden" shows the line of the railway to Mukden, and the "Grosse Verkehrsstrasse" is the main wagon road leading out of Port Arthur to the northward. The "Exerzier Platz" is the former parade and pleasure ground of the Russian garrison. The other designations of localities and forts are the native names.

From the position of the Japanese forces before Wantai Hill it is easy to understand, and it has not been heretofore from the cablegrams, how the Japanese can shell the Russian ships lying in the harbor of Port Arthur.

Cruiser Poltava Sunk and Battleship Retvizan Seriously Damaged By Fire.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLEGRAMS.)

TOKIO, Dec. 7.—It is officially announced that the Russian cruiser Poltava has been sunk, and the battleship Retvizan seriously damaged as a result of the Japanese bombardment of Port Arthur.

SMALL PROSPECT OF FIGHT.

MUKDEN, Dec. 7.—There are no present indications of an encounter on a large scale between the Russian and Japanese armies.

AFTERNOON REPORT.

VLADIVOSTOK, Dec. 6.—The Japanese cruiser Adzuma is reported to have been sunk by a mine.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 6.

To Japanese Consul, Honolulu:

Port Arthur besieging army reports that our naval guns bombarded the Russian ships in the port from the 3rd to the 5th of December and several of the enemy's ships, especially the Pobieda and Retvizan, were observed hit repeatedly.

On the afternoon of the 5th of December the enemy's powder magazine at the south of Pehyushan was hit by our shells and exploded, causing conflagration for over two hours. On the 5th of December, our heavy guns also worked effectively on the Russian ships, including the Poltava, which raised a thick smoke lasting for one hour.

The siege works against Sungshushan and forts to the east of the same continued the day and night of the 4th of December and captured two quick-firers in the caponiere of Uurlungshan.

On the 6th of December our heavy guns renewed bombardment against the Russian ships with satisfactory results. Bombardment still continues.

HIOKI.

LAND THIEVES CONVICTED.

PORTLAND, Dec. 7.—All the defendants in the land fraud cases have been convicted excepting Marie Ware.

KOSEKI IS IN CUSTODY

Accused Jap Confesses
That He Cut
Suyetomo.

"I have a row last night at Iwilei with Suyetomo. I cut him. Then I see my name in the newspaper this morning, and I know I could not get away. So I come in."

With these words, Koseki, the Japanese hackdriver who was believed to have stabbed Suyetomo to death on Monday night, delivered himself into the custody of High Sheriff Henry at

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THE TITLE APPROVED

By War Department to
Hobron Beach
Property.

Lieut. Slattery, Engineer Corps, U. S. A., who has charge of the negotiations to acquire property at Kaimuki, Puuloa (Pearl Harbor) and Waikiki for the War Department, stated yesterday that title had been approved on the Hobron property at Waikiki beach and that the Schaefer title would also be proved shortly. There is still a hitch in the proceedings regarding the other properties on the beach.



KOSEKI, THE ALLEGED MURDERER OF SUYETOMO.